ORDER OF SERVICE – February 13, 2022

Welcome Call to Worship: Exodus 15:22-27 Song: Send the Light Memory Verse: Deuteronomy 6:5-6 Prayer Song: Across the Lands Song: Complete in Thee Message: Flourishing in the Barren Wilderness (Exodus 15:22-27) Song: Here I Am, Lord Commission

> Worship in Giving: <u>www.graceis.us/give/</u> (offering plate is in the back of the auditorium)

JOIN A LIFE GROUP:

Tuesday 1:30pm Wednesday 7:00pm Thursday 7:00pm Ask a deacon for details!

Flourishing in the Barren Wilderness

Mark Rubin, Missionary to Chile

Exodus 15:22-27

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Life Group Discussion Questions

- 1. Why would God lead His people to the brink of death by dehydration and then bring them to the bitter waters of Marah?
- 2. Can you think of instances at work or in your past where there was some problem, but the people turned on the leader instead of really focusing on a solution to the problem? (Personal question for private reflection: Have you done that in the body of Christ, or are you doing that?)
- 3. What other occasions arose in the wilderness wanderings or later in Israel's history where they failed to turn to the Lord, did not heed His Word, and therefore suffered the consequences?
- 4. How do we know that God's purpose was not just that His people would never suffer sickness or ailments, despite what Ex. 15:26 appears to indicate that? Does this apply to us today?
- 5. How did God confirm His care and provision for the multitude of His people that He brought out of Egypt at the end of this episode (see v. 27)?